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# Git & Github For Beginers

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# Basics to Git, Github, Versioning Systems

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# Introduction to Git & GitHub & Version Control

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### Agenda

- What is Version Control?
- It's time to get Git.
- Working with repositories locally.
- Working with remotes.
- Working on another developer's repository.

#### What is Version Control?

- Time
- Who took it
- State and Location of pieces

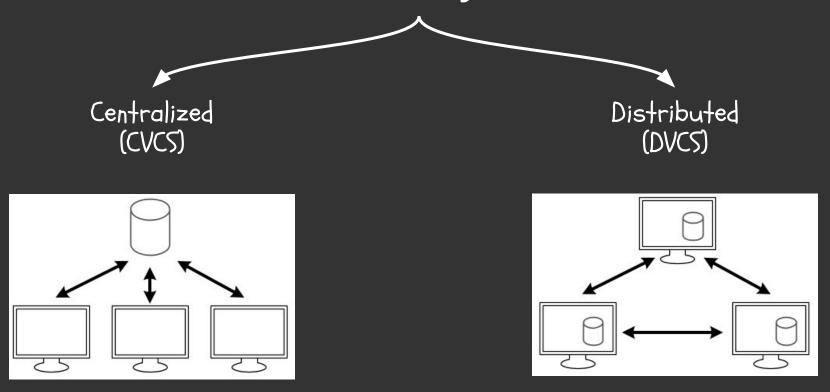


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# This Idea of a safe point is exactly What Version Control is

# **Version Control Systems (VCS)**



## **Most Popular Version Control Systems**

- <u>Git</u>
- Subversion
- Mercurial



Distributed Version Control System.



**Version Control Tool** 



Service hosts Git Projects

# **Terminology**

Branching

Merging

Version Control System

SHA

Staging Index

Source Code Manager

Merge Conflicts

Index

Remotes

Staging area

Repository

Commit

Working Directory

Repo

Checkout

# Terminology

git-cheat-sheet-education (github.com)



# Exercise – Install and Configure Git

In this exercise, we will:

- Download and install Git.
- Perform first time configuration for Git.
- Configure Git with out Code Editor.

## How to get Git?

#### **Installing Git**

#### MacOS / Windows

I.go to git-scm.com/downloads

2.download the software for Mac/Windows
3.install Git choosing all of the default options

#### Linux

\$ sudo apt-get install git

# First Time Git Configuration

```
# sets up Git with your name
git config --global user.name "<Your-Full-Name>"
# sets up Git with your email
git config --global user.email "<your-email-address>"
# makes sure that Git output is colored
git config --global color.ui auto
```

#### Git & code Editor

Atom Editor Setup
git config --global core.editor "atom --wait"

VSCode Setup
git config --global core.editor "code --wait"

## **Review Git Configuration**

```
# lists all the configuration properties
git config --list
```

# Exercise – Working with a Local Repository

In this exercise, we will:

- Create a Git Local Repository.
- Make Changes, add, and commit them.
- Review the repository's history.

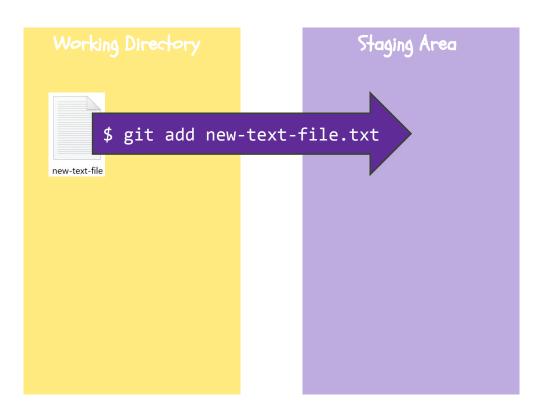
# Initializing a Local Git Repository

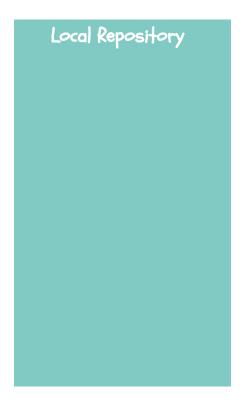
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$git init
```

#### Common terminal commands

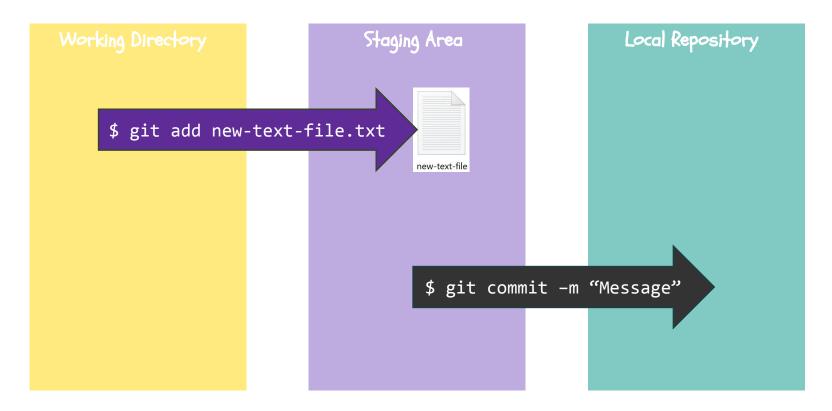
```
$1s - used to list files and directories
$mkdir - used to create a new directory
$cd - used to change directories
$rm - used to remove files and directories
$pwd - used to print working directory
$touch - used to create and modify files
$start - used to open files or directories
```

#### **How Git works?**

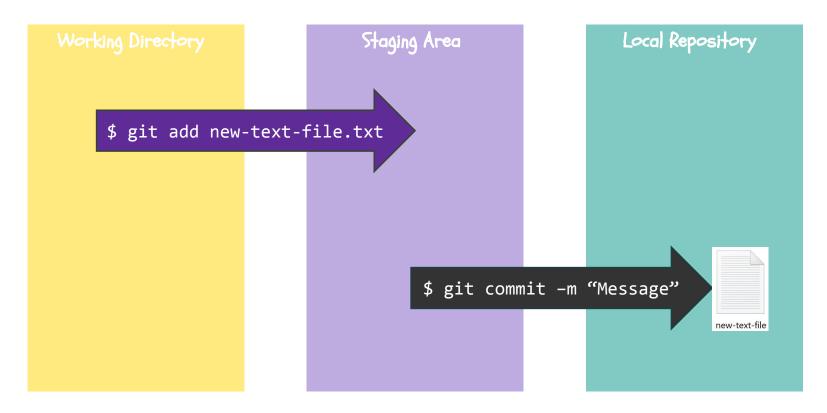




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#### Git Add

```
$ git add <file1> <file2> ... <fileN>
$ git add .
```

This command moves your changes to the staging area.

#### **Git Commit**

```
$ git commit -m "Initial commit"
```

This command moves your changes to the local repository.

Try to always write your commit message in an imperative way.

# **Git Commit Message**

#### Do's

- Keep the message short (less than 60-ish characters)
- Explain what the commit does (not how or why!)

#### Don'ts

- Explain why the changes are made
- Explain how the changes are made
- Use the word "and"

# Reviewing the Repository's History

```
$ git status
```

On branch master
Your branch is up-to-date with 'origin/master'.
Nothing to commit, working directory clean

```
$ git log
```

# Reviewing the Repository's History

\$ git status

This command display's the status of the working directory and the staging area.

It doesn't show us history!

# Reviewing the Repository's History

```
$ git log
```

This command will show you the history of changes in the repository including:

- the SHA
- the author
- the date
- the commit message

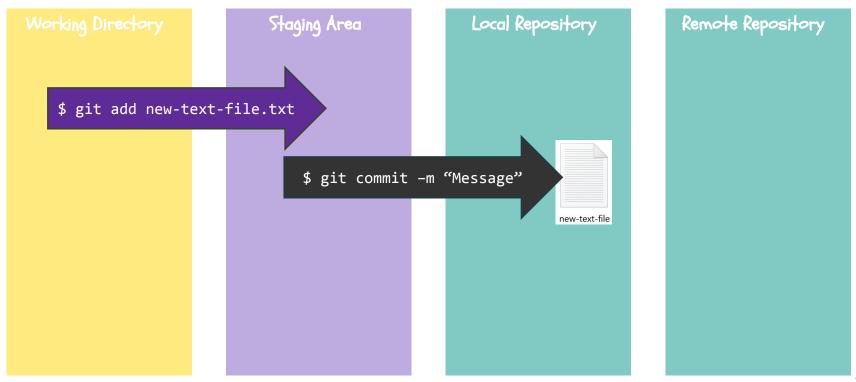
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$ git log --oneline
```

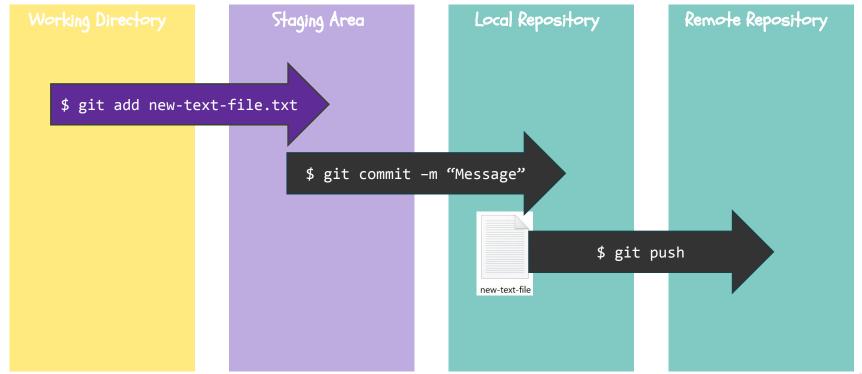


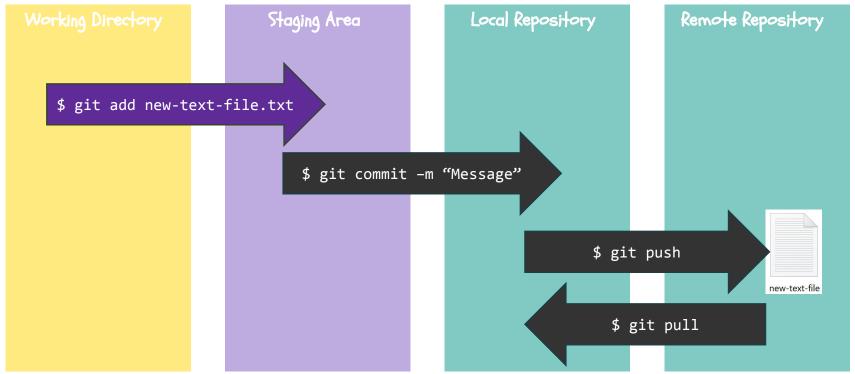
# Exercise – Working with Remotes

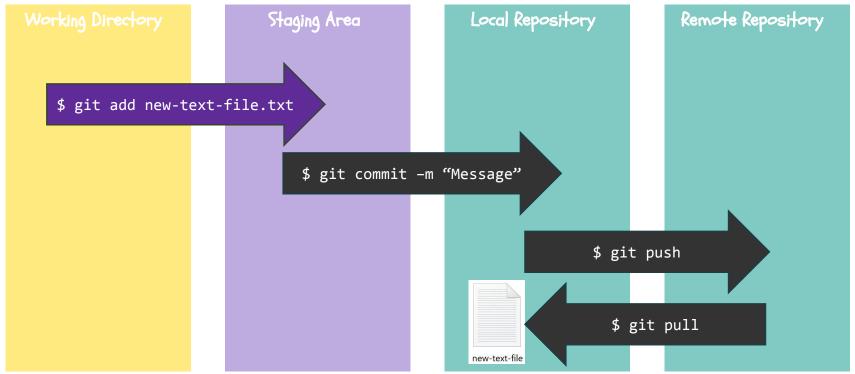
In this exercise, we will:

- Create a GitHub repository and clone it.
- Make changes and push to GitHub.
- Make changes and pull from GitHub.
- Fork a repository and make a pull request.









# **Next Steps** • Learn more about GitHub on Microsoft Learn. • Finish Introduction to version control with Git learning path. Please tell us how you liked this workshop by filling out this survey: https://aka.ms/workshopomatic-feedback